

United States  
Department of Agriculture

Forest Service Gifford Pinchot  
Mt St Helens NVM Ranger District

42218 N.E. Yale Bridge Road  
Amboy, Washington 98601

Reply to: 2430  
Date: 08/03/2015

Dear Prospective Bidder:

On 09/02/2015, at 10:00 AM, initial bids for Oral Auction will be opened in the Mount St. Helens National Volcanic Monument Headquarters, 42218 NE Yale Bridge Road, Amboy, WA 98601 for the West Ridge II Bough sale. This sale is located in T. 9 N., R. 6 E., Sections 22, 23, and 26, W. M., Unsurveyed, Skamania County, Washington. Timber sale Contract 2400-3P will be used. The termination date for this sale is 01/31/2017.

The total estimated quantity on this sale is 128 Ton. The Forest Service encourages potential bidders to make their own inspection and estimate prior to bid submission. The Forest Service makes no representation, warranty, or guarantee of the accuracy of the following quantity estimates:


Estimated Quantities and Rates per Unit of Measure							Required Deposits	
Species	Product	Unit of Measure	Estimated Quantities	Average DBH	Advertised Rates	Base Rates	Slash Disposal	Road Maintenance
Noble Fir and Other Coniferous Species	Limb/Bough	Ton	128.00	N/A	\$100.00	\$50.00	\$0.00	\$10.00
	Total	Ton	128.00				\$0.00	\$1,280.00

There is a \$1,300.00 bid guarantee required on this sale.

On bid opening day, Sales Officers will be available at bid opening office beginning 8:00 AM to assist with any questions prior to bid opening.

If you wish further information on this sale, the prospectus and bid form, please write or call the Mount St. Helens National Volcanic Monument, 42218 NE Yale Bridge Road, Amboy, WA 98601; Gifford Pinchot National Forest Headquarters, 10600 NE 51st Circle, Vancouver, WA 98682; or visit the Forest webpage at <http://www.fs.usda.gov/giffordpinchot/>.

Sincerely,



MOSE JONES-YELLIN  
District Ranger

Enclosure